

## THE WORLD OVER

### PRAYERS AND THUNDERSTORM

WYNNARD, Sask.—Farmers gathered at the Sacred Heart Ukrainian Church here Sunday to offer prayers for rain because of three weeks of drought and hot weather in the district's history.

While they were praying a violent thunderstorm broke overhead.

### 1600 TEACHERS AT SUMMER SCH.

Friday and Saturday of last week saw upwards of 1600 student teachers register for courses offered by the Department of Education and the University of Alberta. This is considerably less than last year due to the taking over of some of the courses by the Institute of Technology and Art in Calgary.

### PROTEST TAX ON USED CARS

Alberta's tax on used retail sales tax, officially known as the Ultimate Purchaser's Tax Act, came in for a severe criticism at the recent meeting in Calgary of the directors of the Alberta Motor Association.

Protesters were expressed over the sales tax being applied on each sale of the car after it had been sold in the first place on the original sale.

Instances were given which showed that under the present system this tax was being levied which meant that just that much additional money was taken out of the pockets of the motorists.

If a car changes hands several times in a year, it is subject to the tax on every transfer of ownership.

### BOY SCOUT NEWS NOTES



BY THE S. M.

Camp being over, we will have to consider the opening date for membership again. For the benefit of any boys who may be considering joining, I don't think that we will be long. In the meantime, if new boys between the ages of 12 and 18 will turn in their names to me, providing both their father and mother are agreeable—their applications will be considered in order of being received.

I am only too glad to say that the camp, except for minor scratches, had a clean bill of health.

On Monday, July 23, we went to Drumheller and in the parade were inspected by Lord Tweedsmuir, the Chief Scout of Canada. Our heads swelled as his Lordship said: "You have a smart troop, haven't you?" Oh, Boy! And how! It's a pity that all the boys weren't there.

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KEEPS HOT ————— KEEPS COLD

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Darling, I could sit here and do nothing but look at you forever. Year, that's what I'm beginning to think, too.

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FOR THE MONTH OF JULY	
Powder Puffs, each	5c
Gypsy Cream for Sunburn	50c
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Flask Lights	50c
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## GIRLS SOFTBALL TEAM WINS FIRST PRIZE AT THE SWALLOW SPORTS

Sunsploes Defeats Grainger Hard Ball Team in Finals

The Carbon Girls Softball team defeated the Grainger Girls in the finals at the Swallow Sports on July 15th to take first money while in the baseball Sunsploes defeated Grainger in the finals, and took home the bacon.

A good crowd attended the sports and children's races and athletic events provided entertainment for the young folk.

In the baseball tournament, in the first game Sunsploes won from the Swallow boys 7-3. In the second game Grainger won from Acme 8-6. In the final game play was close, but Sunsploes nosed out Grainger in the last inning to win 8-7.

Line-ups of the baseball teams were as follows: Sunsploes—Goertzen, Young, Davison, Peas, C. Fritzell, D. Fritzell, Woskline, Hilton, Reimer, J. Grainger—C. Gordon, J. Little, J. Mathers, B. Kapanik, B. Van Wart, L. Little, Y. VanWart, M. Ward, E. Hoffman, S. VanWart, D. Ward and L. LaVal.

Acme—W. Kerns, O. Kusler, S. Young, A. Purvis, R. Davis, H. Way, L. Young, G. Goodrich, V. Darle, Seakewell—A. Ensey, Y. Empey, I. Hunter, F. Empey, F. Wolf, A. Gore, J. McNeill, H. Empey, C. Reigrie.

In the girls softball Carbon won from Swallow 10-4; Grainger defeated Mount Olive 17-16, and in the final game beyond recovery, Sunsploes won from Grainger by a 10-0 score.

Line-ups of the softball teams were: Grainger: H. LaVal, Ida Ward, M. Little, Y. VanWart, M. Ward, E. Hoffman, S. VanWart, D. Ward and L. LaVal.

Carbon—L. Lemay, M. Hunt, Jean Sherry, A. Lemay, I. Taylor, A. Shyla, L. Lemay, H. Hunt, M. Wheat, Mount Olive—E. Hilton, F. Davis, M. Reimer, E. Mills, M. Davis, Y. Paris, C. Evans, P. Hilton.

Swallow—E. Elliott, E. Peimer, Y. Simon, I. Buckton, F. Hamilton, L. LaVal, D. Buckton, Y. Empey, E. Hoffman, B. Kapanik, M. Webb.

W. J. Nesbitt made a very efficient scorekeeper for the games while Joe McNeill and W.J. Kennedy took turns umpiring.

### NORTHERN BRIDGES REBUILT

EDMONTON—Seven bridges on the Northern Alberta Railways between Lac la Poudre and Waterton, destroyed by fire, have been completed and the line is again in operation, after being suspended for ten days.

Cont. and Mrs. Shaw and son, Billy left on Monday for a holiday at Banff.

Buy Your Needs in Carbon!

## GIRLS W.A. TO PRESENT PLAY IN HALL JULY 16th AND 17th

Keep in mind the three-act comedy drama, "Her Incubator Husband" to be presented under the auspices of the Carbon Girls W.A. in the Farmers' Exchange hall on Friday and Saturday, July 16th and 17th, commencing each evening at 8:30 p.m.

The cast has been practicing diligently for the past month or more and a splendid entertainment is offered by the Carbon girls, who ask your support on this occasion.

## BANK OF MONTREAL REGULAR CROP REPORT

General—Intense heat has prevailed in the prairie provinces during the past week and this, combined with inadequate moisture, has further reduced crop prospects. In Southern, Central and West Central Saskatchewan crops are virtually a total failure, and in most other sections of Saskatchewan as well as in Eastern and Northern Alberta, serious losses have occurred. In Manitoba, on the other hand, crop conditions at present are generally favourable.

Alberta—The drought has continued except in isolated areas and it is now evident that crop yields, generally, will be much below average. In Northern districts light to heavy showers have benefited late sown wheat and coarse grains, but further rain is urgently needed. Crops in the South Central and Southeastern sections are largely beyond recovery. Prospects in the southwest remain favourable, with early wheat well advanced, and beans and pastures are in good condition.

## GYPSY CARAVAN HAS MODERN COUNTERPART

More than twenty firms in Canada have turned their attention to the manufacture of automobile trailers and the production of these houses on wheels on the North American continent for the year 1937 is expected to reach a total of 200,000. The cost of a trailer may run anywhere from \$500 to \$5,000 or more, according to the requirements of the buyer as to the interior fittings. The most modern trailer, however, supplies all the comforts of the home on a miniature scale. Beds at front and rear are of Pullman type and disappear when not in use or form a seat by day. The dinette above table may be drawn out and there is usually room for an oil stove, refrigerator, radio and electric light installations.

## Our Farm News Letter

Contributed by  
B. Leslie Emalie, C.D.A. (Glas.) F.C.S.

### Grazing Methods—How Cows Browse

"Learn grazing management by watching the nose and end of a cow. Too many animal husbandmen are inclined to consider only the performance at the other end." In these and other epigrammatic expressions the importance of close grazing was emphasized by Professor D.B. Johnston-Walpole, Agronomist, Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., who spoke on the subject of "The Improvement and Management of Pastures in the Northwestern States" at the annual conference of the Federal Provincial Pasture Committee, held at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, in June.

This speaker considered that the proper type of pasture is one consisting of a dense covering of grass and clover, resembling a good lawn ready to cut with the lawn mower, and should not exceed four inches in height at any time. When the grass becomes tall and throws they are unpalatable, less nutritious, and the animals waste much valuable time in grazing. A cow's time is worth some thing, and part of it should be devoted to rest and rumination.

Early grazing should be carried to the point of punishing the grasses severely, since only in this way can the clover be given the necessary encouragement. Once the clover is well established it will pass on to the grasses, some of the nitrogen it gathers from the atmosphere, and the grass can then live together in mutual harmony and cooperation. But the goats should never be permitted to get too far

## LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Misses Martha Rogers and Lena Reid left on Wednesday to attend the C.G.I.T. camp in the Millerville district.

Melvin Silver of Calgary arrived on Sunday night and is visiting with his brother, Joe.

Mr. Bennett and Mr. McClure of Drumheller were in Carbon on Tuesday, looking over the local swimming pool and getting things lined up to commence on the cement work this week.

As we go to press on Wednesday the skies are cloudy, giving the rains a chance to penetrate deeply into the soil.

Mr. I. Gutzman, who has an appendix operation in Calgary a week ago is reported to be getting along fine and is expected to be home soon.

## WEEKLY COMMENT ON THE WORLD OF WHEAT BY H. G. L. STRANGE

What a Western Canada's most valuable natural resource?

Some say the top six inches of soil, some the sunshine or the hot days and cool nights, others, the rail, copper and lead and zinc, and the oil wells, still others plump for the wealth of the forests and of the fish in the lakes and streams.

For my part I suggest that the 12 inches of rain which on the average falls during the autumn and grows season months over Western Canada, forms our greatest natural resource. How valuable it is can only be fully appreciated when it falls to severe, and so when we suffer from drought, consequently in turn from poor crops or, worse still, from complete crop failure.

Unfortunately, only 50 per cent of this most precious rainfall, scarce as it is available to the wheat plants, 25 per cent is lost by evaporation; this is unavoidable—but on per cent also is lost to weeds, which, if not checked, will increase the yield by about 35 per cent.

Obviously, then, it seems that one of the best ways to increase crop yields, which would actually be the equivalent of increasing the rainfall, is to eliminate the weeds.

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ahead of the clover, as the latter can't stand shade, and close mowing of tall herbage is recommended. Apart from its lack of nutrient, tall grass is in the way and prevents the animals from grazing the undergrowth properly. Farmers who cannot bear to see their pastures graced by the bone in the early spring and who hesitate to mow down the tall grasses going to seed, might reflect on the advice about mowing the rod and spilling the child!

Preventing Soil Erosion—Regarding fertilizers for pastures, the primary need for phosphate was indicated clearly, being illustrated by the speaker with photographs of turkeys and plants from areas variously treated. One of the most interesting pictures shown depicted soil profiles of two plots at Cockle Park, Northumberland, England. In a space of 20 years one had received periodically 10 lb. of 12-12-12. This brought up the subject of soil erosion on sloping land, concerning which much is heard today. A clearly, being illustrated by the speaker, showed soil and soil on texture afford the best protection against erosion, by holding and absorbing the rainfall which runs off the sparsely covered, hard soil and carries with it earth that can be spared.

## L.O.D.E. OFFICERS VISIT DRUM.

The regents and vice-regents of the three Carbon L.O.D.E. Chapters were invited to the garden party in Drumheller on Tuesday in honor of the visit of Lady Tweedsmuir, and the officers from Carbon attending were: Mrs. H. McNaughton, Mrs. H.C. Willson, Mrs. McQuade, Mrs. C. Oliphant, Miss Grace Adams and Miss Betty Willson.

## CROPS IN THE CARBON DISTRICT AIDED BY THE FINE RAINS THIS WEEK

Precipitation Continues for Four Days With Showery Weather

The urgently needed moisture arrived on Monday of this week when rain commenced to fall early in the morning and kept up a steady down-pour till late in the afternoon, before the skies cleared off. Tuesday the clouds re-appeared and another good rain fell in the district. During this period the rain fell to such an extent that the moisture below the surface and the rain should be sufficient to bring most wheat crops in the district to maturity.

Every farmer in the surrounding district is assured of some rain this year, providing it is not holed, and estimates run from 10 to 30 bushels or more to the acre. There are many fine crops to the east and north of Carbon and it is hoped the winner is much better than anticipated.

Some of the late grain is just heading out, but most of the wheat has been headed out for some time and in some cases the crops suffered severely, such was not the average condition.

## LONG YEARS AGO

A. D. McDaniel was injured and severely shaken up when his car skidded off the road and rolled down the embankment at Snake Coulee, north of town, last Sunday.

Everything is ready for Carbon's big sports day to be held next Wednesday, July 16th. The program includes children's sports, baseball games between Carbon and Rockyford, stamade events, and a football game between Carbon and Drumheller.

Summerfallowing as well as the farmers, broad grain increases in production. A good crop is in prospect.

Two car loads of machinery arrived last Saturday for the Stamp mine.

A number of tennis enthusiasts are fishing up the local courts and expect to play before the end of the week.

## G.F.A.A. TO HOLD THEIR ANNUAL SPORTS DAY ON FRIDAY, JULY 23RD

Main Features on Program to be Baseball, Softball Tournaments

The Grand Frolic Athletic Association have distributed their posters, announcing their annual sports day, to be held this year at their grounds eight miles north east of Carbon, on Friday, July 23rd.

Besides the children's sports there will be baseball and softball tournaments, and some fine games are expected to result.

In the baseball, Carbon plays Three Hills at 2:30 p.m., and the winner is to play Swallow at 6:00 p.m.

In the men's softball, Carbon plays Three Hills at 2:30 p.m., and the winner is to play Swallow at 6:00 p.m.

In the ladies' softball tournament, Grainger plays Grand Forks at 1:00 p.m., and the winner plays Carbon at 4:00 p.m.

There will be prizes in all events and you are solicited and urged to attend and enjoy yourself.

There will be a big dance in the evening at the Garrett School.

## MAN-MADE RUBBER IS CHEMISTRY'S LATEST

Rubber from coal, limestone, salt and water? Sounds incredible yet it is true. The chemist has created it and it has already demonstrated in superiority for certain industrial uses over natural rubber. The new rubber, Neoprene, unlike natural rubber, resists the deteriorating effects of sunlight, heat, oil, acids and bases. Cable manufacturers are using it to insulate electric wires and cables because it will resist flame and thereby lessen fire hazards.

## MONTH-OLD BABY "JOY" RIDES

WINNIPEG—Bumped around in the back seat of a stolen car that careened wildly through the north end of the city recently, a month-old baby, William Bender, was found bruised but otherwise unharmed by city police when thieves abandoned the car and escaped on foot. The baby, wrapped in a thick blanket, was found by the car by his parents while they went shopping. A few minutes later they discovered thieves had made off with the car and the baby.

## Carbon Wins at Softball from Hesketh

In a league softball game played at Carbon on Sunday, Carbon defeated Hesketh 10-9. The second game was called off on account of the wet weather.

THE CARBON GIRLS W.A. WILL PRESENT  
A THREE-ACT COMEDY-DRAMA  
**HER INCUBATOR HUSBAND**  
IN THE FARMERS' EXCHANGE HALL, CARBON ON  
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 16 & 17  
CURTAIN: 8:30 P.M.

ADMISSION, Adults 35c; ————— Children, 25c

## PACK YOUR VACATION NEEDS IN NEW Dust-Proof Luggage

GENUINE BLACK CONDUIT GLADSTONE BAG, with inside fittings, each \$13.95  
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SAME AS ABOVE, but with leather edge, each \$7.50  
HIRE-A-TRIP CASE, heavy wood lined for strength, double straps, with lock and key, each \$12.95  
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## Multiplicity Of Duties

## Royal Canadian Mounted in Northwest Territories Keep Busy

Wherever the scientist, explorer, prospector and surveyor goes in the Northwest Territories he finds the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to help him. And he finds the Mounted represents just about a dozen kinds of officials.

A government statement dealing with the Northwest Territories includes the information that the prevention of lawlessness and apprehension of offenders are but a part of the multiplicity of duties performed by members of the force.

They are entrusted also with enforcement of the Northwest Game Act, the Migratory Birds Convention Act and various other Dominion acts.

In certain circumstances they are called on to assume customs and immigration duties, to collect income taxes, accept applications for naturalization, act as postmasters, mining recorders or coroners; to issue hunting permits, pay wolf and coyote bounties, register titles of liquor, and issue licences to peddle liquor.

All commissioned officers are judges of the peace and all ranks are commissioned for administration of justice. Sheriff of the Northwest Territories is Major-General Sir James MacBrien, commissioner of the R.C.M.P.

The force has men at 22 points. Along the Mackenzie basin they are stationed at Resolution, Peace River, Norman, Good Hope, Arctic Red River, Maitland and Adavik. Along the Mackenzie basin they are stationed at Resolution, Peace River, Norman, Good Hope, Arctic Red River, Maitland and Adavik.

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## Forfeits Crown For Love

## Prince Charles Of Sweden Marries Countess Elsa Von Rosen, A Commoner

Prince Charles of Sweden sacrificed any chance of inheriting the throne when he married Countess Elsa von Rosen, a commoner.

The nephew of King Gustaf V. of Sweden and brother of the late Queen Astrid of the Belgians, lost his title and prerogatives in the Swedish royal family.

He acquired a new title, however, becoming by royal decree Prince Charles Bernadotte. His bride, daughter of the Swedish minister of commerce, became Princess Elsa.

Prince Charles was the third member of the Swedish royal family in recent years to forfeit his crown rights for love.

His second princess, seven years older than her 26-year-old husband, was divorced in 1933 from M. Aglas von Rosen. She has three children.

## Lonely Island Was Safer

## Civilization Proved Too Much For Boy From Tristan da Cunha

Civilization proved too much for the youth who left the loneliest island of the world, after two years in London he died.

Donald Glass was a direct descendant of William Glass who founded the settlement at Tristan da Cunha, in the South Atlantic, more than a century ago.

Donald left a happy life, where disease is virtually unknown, determined to succeed in the great world. He was accepted by the Boy Scouts and he tried to make life for him something like that in the home from where he came, but they failed to consider the new type of civilization. He fell ill and gradually declined.

## Job Was Through

## Crude Operation By Amateur Surgeon Probably Saved Man's Life

A crude operation performed with a fishline and a net-needling needle appeared to have saved the life of a man badly torn by a rusty spike on lonely San Miguel Island.

Despite twelve days he spent toiling with pain while passing boats overlooked his distress signal, Robert L. Brooks, the injured man, was expected to survive.

Brooks, lessee of the windproof speck in the Channel Islands chain of southern California, slipped while repairing a wharf two weeks ago and a spike ripped a gaping wound in his thigh.

San Miguel is without a doctor, a boat, or any means of communication with the mainland. No ship was due for weeks.

Realizing that Brooks would bleed to death unless the wound was closed, Herbert Levey, owner of the island, set out to work. Levey, who shocked World War veteran, lives on San Miguel with his wife and two children and works for Brooks.

He hoisted a fishline and the needle he used to repair fish nets. While Brooks' blood was being washed away, the bank and grinded his teeth. Levey, seved up the wound without anaesthetic, he prayed while he sewed.

For twelve days no passing craft heeded their distress signal—the American flag flying upside down. The morning of the 23rd, a vessel of Santa Barbara arrived four days ahead of time with supplies. It rushed Brooks to the mainland.

Physicians at Cottage Hospital said the amateur surgeon was so thorough that no infection developed.

## Selling Canada's Wealth

## Publicity Campaign In Britain Planned With Care

The Canadian Wealth Board sends out a brochure containing handsome, typographed reproductions of the material used in its United Kingdom advertising campaign.

The board says that so far as it knows this was the "first attempt which has been made by any wealthy country to give publicity to the sale of its wealth by advertising and public work."

The campaign was planned with great care. Advertisements designed for their respective fields were done in the newspapers of England, Scotland, Northern Ireland, emphasizing the advantages of Canadian hard wheat in the making of bread.

At the same time a series of advertisements in trade journals was addressed to millers, bakers and retailers.

The Canadian Wealth Board is dealing with a product of unexcelled quality, trying to increase its sale in the rich and contented market of the United Kingdom, and its campaign appears equal to the occasion.

—Ottawa Journal.

## Was Infringement Of Law

## Man Found His Neighbourly Act Cost Him Penalty

It cost George Thiesen of Menominee, Sask., just \$25 to be a good neighbour. He undertook to transport the band from this town, 28 miles northwest of Saskatoon, a few miles to a picnic recently but before he had done his good turn he met up with the law.

He was fined in Royal Canadian Mounted Police court for infringement of the vehicle act by carrying passengers in a truck.

A motorist driving 45 miles an hour steadily for 10 hours a day would require 13 years, 10 months, and 21 days to travel over the improved roads of the United States.

From here it is beginning to appear that trying to get rid of relief is much like trying to throw away a load of chewing gum, says Judge.

Hamburg, Germany, has a population of more than 1,128,000.

## AIDS DIGESTION

NEW DOUBLEDAY

COOL REFRESHING

## Festival Date Changed

## Set Back One Month When Delegates Met At Moose Jaw

Dates for the 1938 provincial music festivals were set back a month as delegates from five provinces concluded the 12th annual conference of the Western Canada Music Festival Associations at Moose Jaw.

Next year the Saskatchewan festivals at Saskatoon and Regina will take place the latter part of April, from April 25-30. At present, no definite arrangement has been made as to whether Regina or Saskatoon will conduct its festival first. So far, the big management will be followed by the other two.

Represented for the first time at the conference was the Quebec Musical Convention festival. Delegates were present from Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Alberta, British Columbia and Quebec.

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## Left Legacy For Poor

## But Town In Scotland Has No People Who Qualify

There is a small town in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, called Turiff, with a population of over 2,000, who are a very proud people. That is not to say they are conceited, or affect a lofty attitude toward other communities. The colloquial name for it is "Turra," and the locals have a slogan: "Tak awa Turra an' twa miles roon and whau are ye?" If you don't know what that means, well interpret: "Take away Turiff and twelve miles around and what is left of the town will be worth while?" That's the sort of people they are in "Turra." They regard their town and environs and the people within as the hub of humanity.

Turiff has really justification to boast though. Recently a native of the town died in a picnic. There was a bequest of \$25,000 for the poor of Turiff. That is where the Town Council is in a pickle. "There are no poor in Turiff and the administrators cannot carry out the terms of the gift because there is nobody to give any part of the money. To pending some solution, or the improbability that some of the local folks will be a picnic, the \$25,000 has been handed over to the custody of the County Council.

A place of that kind surely lives up to the distinction which it confers upon itself.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

## A Modern Pastime

## Many People Before Public Eye Receive Fame

A writer in the Manchester Guardian catches a trend of today that is new, satisfying in vastness—"fan mail."

"Thousands and thousands of these letters are posted every day. It begins with actors and actresses, singers and other public entertainers who have for years received letters from their admirers, but as soon as the cinema became the chief medium of entertainment girls and boys, and especially girls began to write to the film stars and fan mail really began. Now it is not confined to film stars, but extends to prime ministers, as we heard from Stanley Baldwin. It extends to everyone who comes before the public eye, even to wrongdoers.

"It is rarely, however, that any one speaks of his pastime. It is a private matter between him and the adored one, for most of the letters are tributes of admiration."

## Accurate Information

## Milwaukee Has Plan To Determine What Visitors Spend

H. B. Cowan, Jr., manager of the Examiner's circulation department is just back from attending a convention at Milwaukee and reports an interesting plan by which the Milwaukee Association of Commerce gets accurate information as to the extent of the expenditures made by visitors to the city. Every delegate to a convention receives a questionnaire which he is asked to fill out showing where he stayed, what stores his chief purchases were made at and how much he spent on shelter, amusement and other things, the information to be regarded as strictly confidential.—Petersborough Examiner.

Argentina, Canada, China, Great Britain, India, the Netherlands, and the United States are the most important markets for German watches and clocks.

Berlin is now the third largest city in the world, next to New York and London.

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When the police of Hermann, South Africa, inspected the trail of a hard-foot burglar, who had stolen \$100, the Sherlock Holmes instinct told them the capture should be made. One of the clues was a peculiarly formed. All the well-known jail characters passed inspection, and the trail finally led to N. Cupp, an amateur burglar, who was sentenced to four months hard labor.

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## Confidence Restored

The recent announcement of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden of Great Britain's intention to face her responsibilities by rearming as speedily as possible and to such an extent that "nobody dare fight with anything but superior" will go on many receptive and welcoming ears, not only within Great Britain and the Empire but in other countries who look to Britain for leadership in the task of preserving the democratic form of government.

There is no question but that Britain, "lost face," to use an Oriental expression, during the past two or three years, because of her failure to take a stand in the councils of the League of Nations strong enough to prevent the rights of member nations being violated.

Representative newspaper and magazine writers in some of the smaller democratic countries of Europe, such as the Scandinavian group, who have been sent to look to Britain for leadership and who, at any rate in recent years, have been strong friends of Great Britain, have in the past year or two voiced keen disappointment at the situation and more particularly have expressed criticism over the Ethiopian debacle.

But there was a very good reason why Britain could not go further than she did in attempts to enforce sanctions against Italy as the violator of Abyssinia. No one knew better than the British representatives on the councils of the League that if coercive measures were needed to prevent the dispossession of the northern African kingdom she was not in a position to ensure that these methods were carried out.

The British war machine, and particularly the aerial arm of it, had been allowed to become obsolete and no effort had been made to bring it up to date; or, conversely, it might be more correct to say that they and more intelligent nations had built up huge destructive forces and little or nothing had been done to keep pace with their activities.

Under these circumstances it may have been futile for Britain to have displayed a flag which was not heavily manned by air to have uttered threats which she could not carry out. She did not want to start something she knew that she could not finish. Hence, nothing more could be expected than to advise and negotiate, in the knowledge that anything more forceful might precipitate a disaster which the great majority of nations hoped to avoid. It was a policy of prudence and that was the only policy that could safely be adopted at the time.

Now, however, that it is to be changed, Great Britain has already commenced an active and ambitious program of rearmament which, in a year or two at the outside, will enable her to resume her role as leader of the European and world democracies in the full knowledge and certainty that the utterances and decisions of her representatives will be respected by even the most powerful and belligerent nations.

The general objective of the program was aptly expressed by Prime Minister Chamberlain when he told his constituents that it was his aim to make Britain so strong "that nobody dare treat her with anything but respect" and his additional announcement that he faced his responsibilities "without fear or hesitation" will inspire confidence not only in Britain but in many other countries who are genuinely anxious to preserve world peace, and is Britain herself.

Confidence will be further fortified by the supplemental declaration of Sir Anthony Eden that immediate and specific objectives are preservation of the territorial integrity of Spain and the maintenance of the Mediterranean as a main arterial road for the flags of all nations.

Both these objectives have been threatened in recent weeks as the war in Spain progresses. The dismemberment and even the potential dismemberment, of Spain would undoubtedly precipitate a general conflagration in which all the European countries might ultimately become involved and that is what the majority of the non-belligerent nations of Europe fear so much today.

Despite the declarations of individual visitors from Europe to this continent to the effect that a general war will be avoided, it is generally recognized on both sides of the Atlantic that the events in Spain, coupled with a great deal of outside interference, constitutes a grave danger to the peace of Europe and perhaps of the world.

A strong and well-armed Britain, with no ulterior motive to serve, will go a long way to allay such alarms and will do much to enhance peace in Europe and security for the democratic countries of that continent.

## Something New To Try

According to the Christian Science Monitor, to Herman Crowley, the famous editor of a human once wrote: "Our church is in dire financial straits. We have tried every device to keep it going—fairs, strawberry festivals, roller skippers, a derby party, turkey hampers, dinner dances, and box marriages, and box marriages. Will you please tell us, Mr. Crowley, what we can do to keep our struggling church from disbanding?"

## Starts Annual Patrol

The N. B. McLean, the largest unit of the government icebreaking fleet, has sailed from here on her annual patrol to the Arctic Bay and straits. The ship, under Capt. W. J. Halom, formerly of Halifax, will be away until October.

Visitor: "Your son is rather small for his age, isn't he?"

Friend Mother: "Oh, no; most boys of his age are overgrown. I think."

Italy used safety pins 3,000 years ago.

## BLACKHEADS

Don't squeeze blackheads—dissolve them. Get two minutes of clean powder from any drug store and rub with wet, but cloth over the Blackheads. They simply dissolve and disappear by this safe and sure method. Have a Hollywood complexion.

## Trees For The Prairie

Since the program of work under the Prairie Rehabilitation Act was begun in 1935, a total of 960,440 trees have been supplied free for planting in the prairie provinces. District permanent plantations total 77,730 in 1935. Agricultural improvement associations, 229,380, and field crops shelter belt associations 653,230. In addition, the regular free distribution of trees from Forest and Sutherland nursery stations in 1935 and 1936 totalled 118,283.

From 1961 to 1959, these two groups have distributed free to farmers in the three prairie provinces over 150 million trees.

"I am grateful to you for the confidence you have reposed in me," stated the winning candidate.

"All right," said a voice in the rear, "but don't do any more repeating. Get busy."

It takes four to eight times as much soap to make a satisfactory cleaning lather when hard water is used than when soft water is available, depending on the degree of hardness of the water.

In comparison with human eyes, the eyes of most birds are telescopic.

A small grain particle hardly distinguished by a person standing a yard away from it, is seen 100 yards by some birds.

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## THEATRE

THURS. JULY 15

Frank McHugh, Joan Blondell  
—IN—  
**"3 MEN ON A HORSE"**

THURS. JULY 22

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Jas. Gordon, Sunday School Supt.

Carbon, 11:00 a.m. Beloeur, 3:00 p.m.

Ireana, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School, 12:10 p.m.

Sermon Topic, Sunday, July 18  
"LET'S GO FISHING"

CHRIST CHURCH, CARBON

Services will be held as follows:  
1st and 3rd Sundays in month, 11 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sundays, 7:30 p.m.  
8th Sunday in month by arrangement.  
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PersonalographsThe Louis-Braddock fight pictures  
will be shown at the Carbon Theatre,  
along with the regular feature, "Last  
of the Mohicans" on Thursday, July  
29th.Mrs. S. Sloan of Calgary arrived  
in town on Monday night and is visit-  
ing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
H. Dolphin.Miss Norah Atkinson, Stan Michell,  
and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Anstrom left  
Sunday for a week's holiday at Banff.Harold Wise of Calgary, is visiting  
with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Alex Reid.Ernie Melvin and Miss Pearl Koch  
of Nanton are visiting at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Trumbley.Rev. S. Evans spent last week at  
Banff attending a summer school  
class.Mr. and Mrs. King of Calgary were  
Sunday visitors at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Claude Cressman.Miss Molly Laing left last Friday  
for Vancouver, where she will holiday  
for a couple of weeks.A student quartette from Rochester  
will be at the Park Church, south of  
Carbon, on Wednesday, August 4th.  
There will be a program at the church  
at 7:30 p.m. in both English and Ger-  
man and everybody is welcome to at-  
tend.

## Economical Housewives

There was a day when the housewives bought the far-away "bargain" in the belief that it was good business to save a few pennies. But experience taught them a few things. Today's housewives do not buy blindly. They examine the article first and when satisfied with the product they pay a fair price at home. It is economical to make your purchases in

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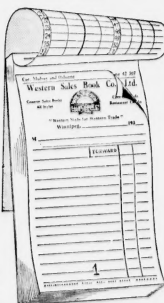
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## Snicklefritz....

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ram-  
say on Saturday, July 10, a son.Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Craddock return-  
ed last Wednesday from a trip to the  
Peace River country. Mrs. Hoover and  
young daughter came back with them  
and will spend a couple of weeks here  
with her parents.Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Flaws and family  
spent Friday and Saturday in Calgary  
and returned to town Sunday.Rev. Evans and Chas. Cave have  
charge of the Cuba camp this week  
on the Three Hills creek.Mr. and Mrs. Torrance and Marion  
returned on Tuesday from Sylvan  
Lake, where they took Elaine Tor-  
rance, Betty McQuade and Marjorie  
McCracken to C.G.I.T. camp.The Boy Scouts motored to Drum-  
heller on Monday and were reviewed  
by Lord Tweedsmuir.Miss Ruth Ramsay spent a few  
days in Carbon last week and left on  
Saturday for Calgary, later going on  
to Edmonton, where she has secured  
a position in a hospital.Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hay and son  
Billy of Sylvan Lake visited in town  
for a few days last week.Mrs. Jennie Ramsay spent the week-  
end in Calgary and returned to Car-  
bon on Tuesday evening.Mr. H.C. Willson and Bobby motored  
to Lacombe last week and returned  
on Tuesday.Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Davidson left  
Carbon on Sunday for Gull Lake, to  
spend a couple of weeks holiday.The Friesen family from the Acme  
district, as well as relatives from Cal-  
ifornia, held a reunion at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. C. Friesen here on Sun-  
day.Harold Edwards, prominent broker  
of Drumheller, spent Tuesday visiting  
at his home in Carbon.Gertie—I heard you were out on  
a joy ride last night.Bertie—It's not so. None of us were  
killed or even injured.Lady (at party)—Where's that  
pretty maid who was passing out the  
cocktails a while ago?Hostess—Are you looking for a  
frink?Lady—No, I'm looking for my hus-  
band.Harold—I can see that I am only a  
little pebble in your life.Frances—That's all. But I wish you  
were a little boulder.One reason why romance lasted  
longer in the old days was that the  
bride looked much the same after  
washing her face.Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thorburn of Me-  
Adam Jet, N.B. and Mrs. Grant  
Thorburn of St. Albert, Alta. and Mr.  
and Mrs. H.M. Thorburn and two daugh-  
ters, May and Lena, were visitors  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross  
Thorburn for a couple of days last  
week and left on Sunday for Evans-  
burg, accompanied by W.J. Thorburn  
of Calgary, where they will visit for  
a time. This is Mr. and Mrs. F. Thor-  
burn's first visit to the west and they  
plan to continue their trip to the Pa-  
cific coast. Miss Margaret Thorburn,  
who has been visiting with Mr. and  
Mrs. Ross Thorburn for the past year  
left with them for a holiday, but will  
return to Carbon for school opening.

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